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Year 8 Weekly Bulletin

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COVID 19 Update

As our lives start to return to some form of normality with shops, cafes, campsites, hotels opening and more opportunities to meet with family and friends I want to remind you that we still need to remain cautious and remember to protect ourselves and the most vulnerable in our communities.

If you would like to share any concerns you may have then please remember to use the following email: Year8support@ivybridge.devon.sch.uk

Home Learning

If you are still having some difficulties submitting your work then it is crucial that you let your Tutor, your teacher or the Key Stage 3 team know so we can guide you in the correct way. Please click on the link below for a step by step guide on how to upload your work - the guide is from the English department, but the same process applies to any subject

<https://web.microsoftstream.com/video/dcf59238-32f1-422a-a4cc-3e68f201819f>

If you have been sent home some work to complete on paper, then it is very important that you send your teachers a photograph of your work.

YOUR NEXT SUBMISSION DATE FOR YOUR TRANSITION WORK IS 10 JULY.

There will be one final set task for you to complete in your Core areas and this will be due on Wednesday, 15 July. Do not forget to use the supporting Streams video that was released on Monday, 29 June to help you with your planning.

For the remainder of the term you will receive your bulletin information via your Tutor during your Tutor Teams Meeting. I encourage all of you to ensure that you are available at the time your Teams Meeting has been organised to avoid missing out on vital information. The answers to this week's Kite questions will be shared with you during the Teams Meeting. The next meeting will take place the week of 13 July 2020.



Wellbeing

A thoughtful post this week.... The life cycle of the blackberry – the end berry unrecognisable from the initial bud and the developing stages that it goes through. Sound familiar? Maybe not, let me explain! We are constantly developing and changing inside and out, and the stages we go through lead us to greater goals, which may be very different to where we are at the present. The spaces between the stages are also important, representing that we cannot rush our lives, we are all emerging into beautiful people but all in good time. So the message is to take time to notice where you are in your lifespan development, cherish where you are now and think about where life may take you in the future.



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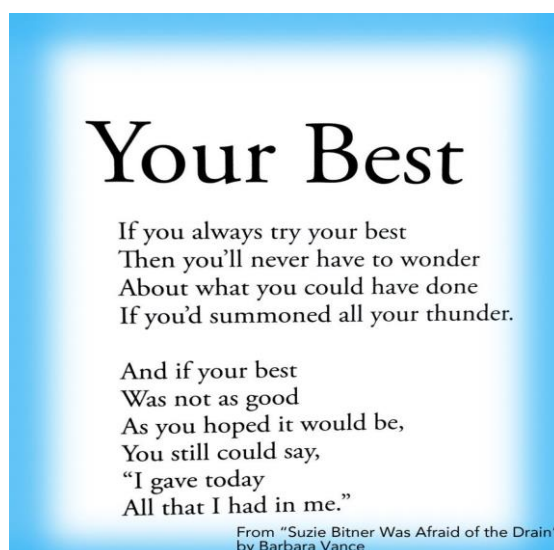
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I would like you to read the poem below about trying your best at all times. We all have days when we feel that we have so much to do we do not know where to start, but you can only try your best and remain positive at all times.

If you have been inspired by this poem to write your own motivational poem then please send me your work to eshore@ivybridge.devon.sch.uk by Tuesday, 7 July 2020.

I look forward to reading your work.



Virtual assembly

Your next assembly will be on Monday, 13 July and your next Tutor Teams Meeting will be held between July 14 – July 17 2020.

If you had some issues joining your Tutor Teams Meeting please make sure you let your Tutor know so that you are all set up and ready to go for your next scheduled meeting.

Do not forget to be in a public area in your house and not in your bedroom, turn your camera off and remember to be on mute.

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